

## Re: IE6 won't open from weblink in OE6

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- *From:* "Bruce Hagen" <[Nospam@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:Nospam@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)>
  - *Date:* Fri, 18 Aug 2006 13:23:37 -0700
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I have no idea what has happened, Patrick. I have never seen it disappear. Hang in there and we'll see if someone else has an idea.

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Bruce Hagen  
MS MVP – Outlook Express  
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"patrick" <[patrick@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:patrick@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)> wrote in message  
<news:3FDA351B-3D09-4A34-8D4F-35BF0AE0E8EC@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

Thank you Bruce, but the problem is that there IS NO entry for "URL:Hypertext Transfer Protocol" in the list. All I have in there is "URL:Hyperlink".

"Bruce Hagen" wrote:

You have to have URL:HyperText Transfer Protocol. See the attached screen shot.

From:  
<http://www.fjsmjs.com/OE/nolinks.htm>

If nothing happens when you click a link:  
Open Windows Explorer.  
Go to Tools | Folder Options | File Types.  
Scroll down to URL:HyperText Transfer Protocol (NOT URL:Internet Shortcut)  
and select it.  
Click Edit or Advanced, depending on your Windows version.  
Select 'open'.  
Click Edit.

"Application used to perform this action" should read:

"C:\PROGRAM FILES\INTERNET EXPLORER\iexplore.exe" -nohome  
(Check the path to iexplore.exe to make sure that is correct and use the double quotes.)

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DDE should be checked and in the boxes below it you should have:

#1:

"%1" ,,-1,0,,,

#2

IEExplore

#3 (blank)

#4

WWW\_OpenURL

URL:HyperText Transfer Protocol with Privacy should be the same.

Sometimes it is necessary to uncheck Use DDE.

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"patrick" <patrick@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message  
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> Yesterday I was downloading daag.exe and some other documentation  
> from > the  
> msdn patens and practices site. I was asked to do a survey and agreed.  
> The  
> survey window said it would activate when I was done browsing the  
> "patterns  
> and practices" section. when I cloed the site, IE displayed a message > that  
> it  
> had encountered and error and had to close. I did not send an error  
> report,  
> but guesss I should have. :(  
>  
> Anyway, the next time I used Outlook Express and tried to click a link > in  
> an  
> email, nothing happened. I tried another email link that had worked  
> sometime  
> before, but nothing happened with that either. So I began looking for  
> answers  
> with google. I found a lot of answers. One I saw in several places said > to  
> check file associations and make sure "URL:Hypertext Transfer" was set >  
> to  
> "%windir% iexplore.exe", and to make sure you do not use the "URL:  
> Internet  
> Shortcut" item. But I do not have any file association labled  
> "URL:Hypertext  
> Transfer". I tried to create a new entry named "URL:Hypertext > Transfer",  
> but  
> a dialog box pops up saying this action would delete/replace the other >  
> URL  
> entry ("URL: Internet Shortcut"). I did not want to do that. I know > this

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- > stuff is in the registry, can I enter it in there, and where would I > look
- > for directions? I don't want to reinstall IE again, that makes me have > to
- > reinstall service packs and patches all over again, too